

August 3 2010

Ed Smith
CLERK OF THE SUPREME COURT
STATE OF MONTANA

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF MONTANA
No. OP 10-0288

STATE OF MONTANA,

Petitioner,

v.

MONTANA EIGHTEENTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT,
GALLATIN COUNTY, THE HONORABLE
MIKE SALVAGNI, DISTRICT JUDGE,

Respondent.

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MOTION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

The Petitioner, State of Montana, respectfully requests a 14-day extension of time until August 19, 2010, in which to prepare, serve, and file its supplemental brief ordered in the above-entitled matter. The brief is presently due on August 5, 2010, and this is the State's first extension request.

This motion is made due to the heavy workload under which the attorney assigned to this case is presently working, making it impossible to properly research, consider, and brief the issues required to be briefed by the Court's order within the time allotted.

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Opposing counsel has been contacted concerning this motion, and does not object.

Respectfully submitted this 3rd day of August, 2010.

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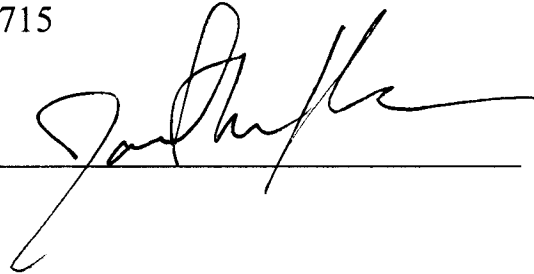
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